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## REGIONAL PUBLIC LIAISON

PROGRAM REFERRAL ( )	ORAL REQUEST ( X )	WRITTEN REQUEST ( )
DATE: 3/26/15	RECEIVED BY: George H. Zachos	
NAME OF INQUIRER: [REDACTED]		
ORGANIZATION: Private Citizen		
ADDRESS: Palenville, NY		
CASE NO. RPL No. 15537		
PHONE NUMBERS: (WORK)	(HOME) [REDACTED] 6 [REDACTED] 6 [REDACTED]	

### PROBLEM:

The NYSDEC has ordered Fred Edwards (3<sup>rd</sup> Trucking/Excavating Co.) to remove the debris he had placed on the wetlands. She is reporting that she and neighbors have witnessed him burying material (debris) excavated from the wetland into the ground on his property. She and others are concerned that the material may leach into their potable water wells.

### ACTION:

Please report these violations to the NYSDEC Region 4 Office (Ms. Marcia Ellis, 518-357-2092) who have ordered him to remove the debris from the wetland,

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REFERRED TO: NYSDEC, Reg. 4 Office	PROGRAM CATEGORY: Water-Wetlands (Cleaning of Wetland)

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NAME OF INQUIRER: [REDACTED]		
ORGANIZATION: Private Citizen		
ADDRESS: Palenville, NY		
CASE NO. RPL No. 15666		
PHONE NUMBERS: (WORK)	[REDACTED] 6 [REDACTED] 6 [REDACTED]	

**PROBLEM:**

[REDACTED] called the RPL at ~6:00 pm to discuss dust plumes at the wetland adjacent to her house.

The NYSDEC has ordered Fred Edwards (3<sup>rd</sup> Trucking/Excavating Co.) to remove the debris he had placed on the wetlands. During this operation, the RP is creating a dust problem which is impacting [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] suffers from asthma and her daughter is having problems breathing. [REDACTED] has visited [REDACTED] doctor who told her the dust is impacting [REDACTED] condition.

[REDACTED] has called the NYSDEC hotline (1-800-457-7362) to report this dusting problem, but no one has addressed her concerns. [REDACTED] also noted that since she has called several times, her concerns are not taken seriously.

**ACTION:**

Told [REDACTED] to report this condition directly to the Region 4 NYSDEC Environmental Quality desk (518-357-2045).

Since [REDACTED] concerns have not been addressed and the local NYSDEC office was close, the RPL offered to call the NYSDEC hotline on her behalf. The RPL called and told the DEC Operator that during a conversation with [REDACTED] he noted that [REDACTED] was having trouble breathing. The NYSDEC operator told the writer that they have received several calls from [REDACTED] concerning the dust problems and they forwarded her request to the DEC dispatcher for action but do not know the outcome, i.e., don't know if anyone has responded.

The RPL called and briefed [REDACTED] on his call to the NYSDEC hotline and told her to call the Region 4 office the next morning.

Noting [REDACTED] breathing difficulties and fragile mental condition, she was told to feel free to call the RPL to discuss [REDACTED] concerns.

[REDACTED] thanked us for trying to help and for caring!

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ORGANIZATION:

ADDRESS:

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PHONE NUMBERS: (WORK)

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dust → health issues

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GPA

debris → water method.  
who can insulate?

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